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BRITISH NOW HOLD ALL HINDEBURG LINE BUT 2000 YARDS

PACKING CO. IS TAKEN OVER BY LARGE INTEREST

California Packers Company is Purchaser of Eames Property, Which is Taken Into Merger at a Consideration Said to Be Half Million

One of the most important deals in pineapple circles was consummated this week by the transfer of the Hawaiian Islands Packing Company interests to the California Packers Corporation, mother company of the Hawaii Preserving Company here, for a consideration of about a half million dollars.

The transfer embraces all of what is commonly known as the Eames property at Wahiawa and means the consolidation of the two local companies. M. J. Jorgensen, president of the Hawaii Preserving Company and agriculturalist for the California Packers Corporation, came here recently from San Francisco to perfect the transfer. He has home next week.

A. W. Eames, who continues with the new company in personal charge of the Wahiawa cannery and in general charge of all island interests for the California Packers Corporation. He came back from the mainland recently after making most of the arrangements for the deal. Eames says the transfer is not as large in pineapple lands as it is in the general business of the old company.

W. L. Gifford, manager of the Hawaii Preserving Company's cannery in Iwilei, will retain that position. Eames said today that the transfer property, which is commonly known as the Eames interests, includes one cannery and cannery building at Wahiawa, plantation tools, contracts, leaseholds, equipment and accessories that go with a pineapple growing concern.

The Hawaiian Islands Packing Company grew pineapples on its own property. Most of the plantations are on leased ground. In the busy season the company employs about 400 people on its plantations and in its cannery. Last year it produced 400,000 cases and the output has been growing from year to year.

25 "NON-COMS" TO GET COMMISSIONS

Orders Come for Men of 25th Infantry to Go to New Regiments to Form

Twenty-five non-commissioned officers of the 25th Infantry—Hawaii's crack colored regiment—are to be sent to the mainland on the next transport for appointment as officers of colored regiments to be organized under the draft system.

This bit of news which came today in an order from the war department at Washington is regarded by army men as one of the highest official tributes that has ever been paid to the local regiment.

From the densely populated districts of the South colored regiments will be raised under this new system of building up the army, and today's order indicates that the war department has faith in the ability of colored officers to handle these men.

It was said today that there are non-commissioned officers in the 25th Infantry who will make records for themselves in the handling of companies in the big new army.

HAWAIIAN MUSICIAN IN SAN FRANCISCO IS SHOT

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., May 18.—Joseph Kalauna, a Hawaiian musician, was shot and seriously wounded last evening by Roscoe F. Maddox, a bartender in the Alhambra, at Eddy and Market streets. The shooting took place when Kalauna threatened Maddox with a large spoon, which the latter says he thought was a knife. The bullet penetrated the Hawaiian's left side. His condition is critical. Maddox was arrested by Policeman Jack Wright.

Have You Ever Been Examined By a Doctor?

How Did You Feel while he gave you the Once-Over?

BRIGGS
Felt That Same Way, Too!

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(Cartoons by Briggs in the Star-Bulletin every day.)

Stand Against Censorship Section

Republican Members of Lower House Would Refuse to Accept Measure

(A. P. by U. S. Naval Wireless)

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—Republican members of the lower house of Congress today voted by an overwhelming majority to instruct the house conferees on the espionage bill to hold out against the censorship section. This attitude is to be taken, if the Republican stand is followed, in case the conferees decide to report back the bill with the new censorship section included.

BEACH CLUBHOUSE OPENS SATURDAY

Y. W. C. A. Beach Club Promises to Increase Interest in Aquatics; 400 Members

Members of the Y. W. C. A. received the announcement this morning that the Beach Clubhouse at Waikiki would be formally opened on Saturday afternoon with an invitation to the public to inspect the new beach house which will be a real event in the history of the association.

During the campaign to raise funds for a budget a plan was formed to erect a clubhouse at the beach which would be open to members of the association. The fund was raised, and the land near the hau trees was leased by the Damen Estate, and the first year's rent was donated.

The clubhouse is a large building of the bungalow type running from the beach back to the street. The building is finished in a light gray with a broad lanai and concrete pergola as two of the features of the structure. Tea tables will be placed on the pergola during the afternoon.

There are 26 dressing rooms, and 400 lockers, and showers enough for all. Entering the building the office, which is finished in gray, presents a pretty picture, and a kitchenette is another innovation which promises to please.

The hau trees in front of the clubhouse furnish a shade for all those who wish to rest on the sand during the day. The beach is free from coral at this spot, and the members of the club anticipate a most pleasant time this summer.

The opening will take place on Saturday from 8 to 6 and from 7 to 9 o'clock. On Sunday from 8 to 6 there will be a special program to which the people of Honolulu are invited.

Arrangements have been made whereby members of the association who are not club members may pay 15 cents for each swim. The members of the girls' extension clubs will be given Monday for their day, and a charge of 5 cents will be made for the youngsters. A chaperone will be in attendance at all times.

Through the efforts of Miss Leonora Andersen, physical instructor of the Y. W. C. A., the plans for the buildings have been improved, and at the present time those who have visited the clubhouse state that it is a model of its kind. Miss Alice Hopper, chairman of the physical committee, has outlined a number of the details in connection with the structure.

FORBES SHOWING GIFT FROM SECRETARY LANE

Charles R. Forbes, superintendent of public works, is proudly showing to visitors in his office a framed autograph copy of the speech made by Secretary Franklin K. Lane at the opening of the San Francisco exposition. Lane recently sent the gift to the superintendent.

It will be recalled that Lane's speech dealt with the American pioneers, and in one corner of the framed copy is a reproduction of the huge piece of statuary that depicted the march of civilization across America to the West. Forbes has enlarged his office to include a portion of the harbor board rooms, and the gift now hangs over his desk in the new location.

SALES OF LIQUOR COST WOMAN FINE OF \$100

Mrs. Kahoomanukui was fined \$100 in police court this morning for selling liquor without a license in Kakaako. She was arrested last night in her place near the Honolulu Iron Works by Liquor Inspector Hutton. When the defendant asked until Saturday to pay the fine, Judge Monsarrat deferred sentence until then. Hutton has been watching the woman's place for some time and following the arrest his evidence was so complete that the defendant was

HOLD YOUR STOCK IS URGED UPON CATTLE RAISERS

Food Commission Says Ways and Means to Feed All Are Being Prepared

Do not kill or sell for slaughter calves, cows or brood sows! A plan is being arranged by which cattlemen who are unable under present conditions to feed all their stock can have them taken off their hands without loss.

This is in brief the substance of a letter which is being sent today by Dr. Arthur L. Dean, executive officer of the Territorial Food Commission, to all stock raisers and plantations having cattle or swine, in the territory. Copies are being mailed to 14 stock ranches and plantations on Oahu, to 15 on Kauai, 19 on Hawaii and 13 on Maui, a total of 61. The letter says:

"You are doubtless aware that the world faces a serious food shortage. Millions of men have been taken from their usual peaceful pursuits for active warfare and for the manufacture of military supplies. That a great reduction in agricultural products should follow was inevitable. An appeal has been made to Hawaii to go as far as possible in supplying our own requirements for food, and still to continue our exportation of sugar."

"The legislature of the territory created a food commission, charged with the duty of conserving and developing our supply. It is imperative that our meat production be kept up, and if possible, increased. It has been stated to the commission that unusual numbers of cows have been segregated for slaughter, and that calves are being turned into wool. The high prices of grain do not encourage feeding livestock with imported feeds, but the commission is not aware of any general reasons why the usual amount of pasture may not be counted upon."

"Do Not Slaughter Unnecessarily. The Territorial Food Commission therefore urges you not to slaughter, or sell for slaughter, calves or cows suitable for breeding purposes. If you keep swine the same request applies to brood sows."

"In order that the commission may assist in making proper adjustments, please answer the following questions: 1. Have you calves or breeding stock which you are unable properly to feed? 2. Can you care for more stock than you now own? 3. If so, what animals, and how many, can you take? 4. Very truly yours, ARTHUR L. DEAN, Executive Officer."

CAPE IS HELD; HARRIS SET FREE

Walter Cape, the soldier charged with shooting Peter M. Johnson at Pearl City Sunday night, was arraigned in police court this morning on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon. As the complainant is still in the hospital with three bullet wounds in his body the hearing which Attorney Lorrin Andrews, representing the defendant, demanded in the district court was continued one week. Bail was not set and the defendant was remanded back into custody.

C. C. Harris, a brother private, who was arrested at Waiwala on suspicion, but who says he was merely a spectator to the affray, was released by Cpt. McDuffie of the detectives this morning and allowed to go back to Schofield.

WANT NAMES OF MEN ELIGIBLE

Orders received today from Washington call for the names of non-commissioned officers from white regiments of Oahu to be chosen as temporary second lieutenants—one lieutenant to each company, battery and troop in the Hawaiian department.

These names are to be selected from among non-commissioned officers who have been in the schools since April 6 training for military duty. The selections will be made by boards of officers appointed at the various posts. In addition to estimating the number of lieutenants to be thus appointed, a surplus of 20 per cent for the total of such organizations is allowed.

MORE TRACTORS HERE

With the arrival this morning of four more heavy caterpillar tractors and 11 trucks for the supply train, 9th Field Artillery, Schofield Barracks, the local regiment is put on what is practically war strength. Six

WOMEN'S LEAGUE TO HELP HAWAII IN FOOD CRISIS

Splendid Response Made to Call By Commission; Mass-meeting is Planned

Women's organizations of Honolulu will help "Feed Hawaii First."

As the upshot of a meeting this morning in the Chamber of Commerce between the territorial food commission and half a hundred representatives of the leading women's societies of this city, resolutions were passed authorizing the formation of a League for Woman Service and recommending the holding within a few days of a great mass meeting in Honolulu, to be attended by women of all nationalities, and for the purpose of securing greater cooperation and the interchange of helpful ideas in food economy and conservation.

Mrs. Arthur C. Alexander of the College Club moved the motion for establishment in this city of a local League for Woman Service, an organization formed in 35 states since the

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Boy Scouts Get Irwin Site For Emergency Garden

Boy Scouts of Honolulu have been given the confidence of the federal government, in cabled permission for the use of the federal building site for emergency gardening.

Collector of Customs Franklin, who, as a patriotic American citizen, has interested himself in seeing what could be done to secure the site for the use of the scouts, today received the following cablegram:

"Collector Franklin: Permit boy scouts cultivate Irwin lot without government expense." The Star-Bulletin and Collector Franklin some weeks ago talked over the possibilities of putting this fine downtown site to some use in the present food emergency and boy scout leaders declared their live-wire organization would tackle the job of planting and cultivating the lot in case its use could be secured.

Collector Franklin immediately took the question up with Washington and today's cablegram is the result.

Now it's up to the boy scouts.

Coppers Up; Steels Strong

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET TODAY

	Today	Yesterday
Alaska Gold	8 1/2	8 1/2
American Smelter	103 1/2	102 3/4
American Sugar Rfg.	110	110 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	121 3/4	120 3/4
Anaconda Copper	82 1/4	81 1/4
Atchafalpa	101 1/2	100 1/4
Baldwin Loco.	58 3/4	59 1/4
Baltimore & Ohio	70 1/4	69 3/4
Bethlehem Steel	139	137 1/2
Calif. Petroleum	20 1/2	20
Canadian Pacific	160 3/4	161 1/4
C. & M. & St. P. (St. Paul)	74	73 3/4
Colo. Fuel & Iron	53 1/2	53 1/2
Crucible Steel	71	70 3/4
Erie Common	25 1/2	25
General Electric	158	159 3/4
General Motors, New	103 1/2	102 3/4
Great Northern Pfd.	106 3/4	106
Inter. Harv. N. J.	106 3/4	106
Kennecott Copper	47	46 3/4
Lehigh R. & N.	84	83 1/2
New York Central	89 1/2	89 1/4
Pennsylvania	52 3/4	52 1/4
Ray Consol.	30 1/2	29 3/4
Reading Common	90 3/4	89 3/4
Southern Pacific	93 3/4	92 1/2
Studebaker	82	80 3/4
Texas Oil	212	209 3/4
Union Pacific	136 1/2	135 1/4
U. S. Steel	127 1/4	125 3/4
Utah	114 1/2	113 3/4
Western Union	93	92 1/2
Westinghouse	53 3/4	54 1/4

*Bld. Ex-dividend. †Unquoted. Bethlehem Steel—A represents Class A and B class B stock.

FOUR MOONEY JURORS TENTATIVELY SECURED

(A. P. by U. S. Naval Wireless) SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 22.—Four jurors have been tentatively accepted in the case of Mrs. Rena Mooney, charged with criminal complicity in the San Francisco preparedness parade bomb outrages.

More federal pay checks for the National Guard arrived this morning from Washington. There were in the

Miner Wreaks Death, Then Suicides

San Francisco Posse Corners Murderer, Who Shoots Himself

(A. P. by U. S. Naval Wireless)

STOCKTON, Cal., May 22.—After a morning of bloody deeds, Jack Treanor, of Fosteria, a miner, committed suicide by killing himself with a shotgun early this afternoon on the top of Golden Gate peak.

Treanor in a frenzy killed his mother-in-law and his five-month-old baby this morning and at the same time probably fatally wounded his wife. He was chased to Golden Gate peak by a posse and when cornered, killed himself.

PLAN TO REMOVE REV. MR. PARKER SEEMS EVIDENT

"Lack of Confidence" Introduced at Faction Meeting Last Night

Factional differences broke out afresh in Kawahao church last night when, at a meeting of that faction of the congregation led by J. K. Kamanouli and others, H. S. Kales introduced a resolution of "lack of confidence" in Rev. Henry H. Parker, pastor for more than 50 years.

Kamanouli admitted today that the introduction of the resolution is a move toward forcing the resignation of Mr. Parker. Those who were present at the meeting last night, he says, will meet again next Saturday at which time the resolution will be considered.

According to Kamanouli's story, a committee purporting to have been appointed by the congregation to attempt to adjust the factional differences in the church, Kamanouli being a member, suggested to Mr. Parker that a new board of deacons, or lunas, be appointed, the new board to consist of four members of the present board and five new members.

He says that, in reply to this suggestion, Mr. Parker declared that the faction was virtually demanding that he oust the present board of deacons, and added that the faction had no power to so dictate to him.

Kamanouli declares, however, that no such demand was made on the pastor; that it was merely a suggestion with a view of settling if possible the factional disturbances and differences. Mr. Parker did not attend the meeting last night.

Thousands Suffer From Atlanta Fire

(A. P. by U. S. Naval Wireless)

ATLANTA, Ga., May 22.—Between ten and fifteen thousand people were rendered homeless by the great fire that swept the residence section of Atlanta yesterday and last night. At least 75 blocks have been devastated and the loss is not less than \$3,500,000.

STEVENSON'S THISTLE EDITION HAS SPECIAL INTEREST TO HONOLULU

Ed Towse draws attention to the following:

"In the prospectus of the new 'Thistle Edition' of R. L. S., the opening lines, from Mrs. Stevenson, are: 'I wish to convey my appreciation of the artistic merits and exquisite workmanship of the Thistle Edition of Mr. Stevenson's works. I wonder if you know that my husband always wore, pinned to his breast, a small silver thistle, the badge of a Scots society to which he belonged in Honolulu? Certainly the title of the edition is a very happy one.'"

Boy Scouts to Help Sell The War Bonds

(A. P. by U. S. Naval Wireless)

NEW YORK, N. Y., May 22.—The Boy Scouts of America on June 11 will devote their energies to a nation-wide bond-selling campaign to help along the Liberty Loan, it was announced last night. The plan has been devised at the request of President Wilson and the Scouts will canvass millions of homes seeking bond

GREAT BATTLE NECESSARY TO DISLODGE ENEMY FROM SINGLE FOOTHOLD; FRENCH LINE QUIET

Furious Battling on Italo-Austrian Front But No Results Reported—Calm in Russia

The Associated Press sums up the war situation today as follows:

"The entire British front is comparatively quiet. The British now securely hold all of the Hindenburg line except 2000 yards directly west of Bullecourt, where a big battle is necessary to dislodge the Germans and drive them eastward. 'The French front is quiet. 'On the Italo-Austrian front, the Austrians are continuing the Trentino bombardment. Furious fighting is taking place with the Italians on the offensive in the Tolmino mountain country, both sides claiming success. 'In Macedonia the artillery duels continue. There are also isolated infantry attacks. 'It is quiet again on the Russian front.'"

Naval Experts Puzzled By Fatal Accident In Which Nurses Died

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels today issued a statement explaining the deaths of two American nurses Sunday when broken pieces of shell ricocheted from the water during gun-practice at sea. He says this is the first accident of the kind and that it has puzzled the experts.

The Mongolia was 100 miles out when the accident occurred. It is now explained that the brass mount of the "cup" hit the water, ricocheted like a homing bird, hit a stanchion of the ship and broke, the pieces scattering.

Morgan House Loses Big Agency For Britain Through New Plans

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—J. P. Morgan, the banker, today conferred with Foreign Minister Balfour, head of the British mission. Under the agreement between the Allied governments for a pooling of interests and joint purchasing, the Morgan firm will lose to the new commission the great purchasing agency it has conducted in the United States for Britain.

Lloyd George Puts Irish Problem Up to Irishmen For Settlement

LONDON, Eng., May 22.—Irishmen alone will settle the destinies of Ireland, under the plan now proposed by Premier Lloyd George. Should the Irish factions agree on any scheme of administration, there will be immediate legislation to put it into effect, the premier announced last night. All sections, all parties and all creeds will be asked to participate in the convention.

There is no great optimism on account of the possible action of Ulster against home rule, but in any event the plan proposed would kill the force of the charge that England is the oppressor of Ireland. Both houses last night discussed the home rule question, with hardly a ripple of animosities.

German Casualty Lists For April

LONDON, Eng., May 22.—German official lists for April show 10,979 dead, 4308 missing, 9744 severely wounded, and those wounded but able to stay with the units, 17,808.

Bulgarian Port and City Are Bombed

SOFIA, Bulgaria, May 22.—Thirteen enemy ships today bombarded Kavala, on the Black Sea, while 12 airplanes dropped bombs on the city. Several houses were destroyed, but no military damage was done. One hostile machine was shot down.

German Counter Attacks Made in Vain

PARIS, France, May 22.—Three separate counter attacks were made in the night by the Germans against positions captured by the French yesterday, but all were repulsed. A thousand prisoners were taken last night.

TELLS OF ATTACK ON GALLIOLI TO BE DISCUSSED

Interesting Nights on the British attack at Gallipoli peninsula were given last night by Lieut. J. B. Christie, Australian Imperial Forces, in a talk to officers of the 1st Inf. National Guard.

Christie, who was wounded during the first few days of fighting, said that when he returned to the fighting after three weeks in the hospital he did not recognize the ground so changed had it become through the trench warfare and bursting of shells. As in Flanders the opposing armies often fought 50 yards apart, and the rule was to keep a sheet of rifle fire going constantly across "No Man's Land" toward the enemy. Two men would alternate in firing at one bit of trench, Christie said. This would be kept up whether heads were first seen or not, and often it resulted in killing men who appeared but for a moment at an opening.

The Allies made six miles in their shell fire from the mountains ahead of the trench.

"Better Business" will be the slogan at the Ad Club lunch on Wednesday at the Alexander Young Hotel. The campaign for a normal business during wartime will be waged at this session and the situation which is confronting the businessmen of Honolulu will be discussed.

J. F. C. Hagens, president of the Chamber of Commerce, will be one of the speakers and will explain the attitude of the chamber in regard to improving business conditions. John Effinger, chairman of the Retail Board of Trade, will also address the members.